

REMARKS

In the parent application, the Examiner essentially maintained through the holding of the absence of unity of invention that process claims 12 and 13 constituted a separate invention from the inkjet recording sheet defined in claims 1-11.

Pursuant to this determination, the instant divisional application has been filed to pursue the subject matter of original process claim 12, as it relates to claims 1-11 and original process claim 13. Editorial revisions have been made in the claims, such as revising the term "consisting substantially of" to --consisting essentially of-- so that they are more in line with U.S. format and such claims have been presented as new claims 14-25.

Favorable consideration on the merits is respectfully requested.

Should the Examiner wish to discuss any aspect of the present application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at the number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,

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